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Newspaper Strike

NEW YORK—Two newspaper unions announced that they will strike a newly merged newspaper operation scheduled to publish for the first time on Monday.

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Thomas J. Murphy, executive vice president of the New York Newspaper Guild, said editorial and office workers will strike Sunday at 4 p.m. unless a contract settlement is reached with the merged Herald Tribune, Journal - American and World-Telegram.

Bertram Powers, President of the International Typographical Union's Local 6, said the printers would not report for work for publication of the Monday morning Herald Tribune. He reported no progress in his talks with the consolidating papers.

Expectations grew for a city-wide newspaper strike. The new corporation belongs to the Publishers Association of New York, the members of which have a policy of suspending publication when one is struck.